

THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: KUCHERLAPATI, et al.

Serial No.: 08/112,848 Group Art Unit: 1804

Filed: August 27, 1993

ANTIBODIES

Examiner: S. Ziska

For: GENERATION OF XENOGENEIC Attorney Docket No.:

7639-032-999

RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office action mailed September 14, 1995, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-referenced patent application and allowance of the claims in view of the following remarks:

REMARKS

Obviousness-Type Double Patenting

Claims 1-12 were rejected for obviousness-type double patenting as being unpatentable over claims 34-39, 68, 69 and 82 of co-pending application Serial No. 08/031,801. Applicants note that this is only a provisional rejection because the Examiner has not indicated the presence of allowable claims in application Serial No. 08/031,801.

EXPRESS MAIL CERTIFICATION

PEMP-47548.1

[&]quot;Express Mail" label No. TB 648 685 113 US

I hereby certify that this paper or fee is being deposited with the United States Postal Service
"Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 C.F.R. 1.10 on the date indicated above and is addressed to the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Washington, D.C. 20231.